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Pollution Report

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I. HEADINGS

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POLREP #13 - OPA Funded Removal

Start Date: September 16, 1999

II. BACKGROUND

Site No:	FPN G99032
NPL Status:	Non-NPL
Response Authority	OPA
State Notification:	OEPA
Completion Date:	TBD
Latitude:	41°43'43.37" N
Longitude:	81°16'43.29" W
CERCLA Incident Category:	Removal - OPA funded

III. SITE INFORMATION

A. Incident Category: Removal-OPA funded

B. Site Description

1. Site location and background

Lake Underground Storage (LUS) site (a.k.a Nacelle Land Management Corporation) is a 73-acre, inactive brine facility located at 675 Lakeshore

Boulevard in Painesville Township, Lake County, Ohio. The site is located northwest of the city of Painesville and adjacent to Mentor Marsh State Nature Preserve, which empties into Lake Erie. A detailed description of the background can be found in the initial POLREP.

#### IV. RESPONSE INFORMATION

##### A. Situation

###### 1. Current situation

Refer to initial POLREP for detailed response information.

###### 2. Removal actions to date: (December 27 through 30, 1999)

ERRS completed the solidification of contaminated oil sludges and sediments from the lagoon. All solidified waste is currently stockpiled over the far northern portion of the site for future disposal operations. Residual waste located around the base of the four above ground storage tanks was also transported to the stockpile area for disposal. On December 30, 1999, ERRS completed final decontamination activities on all heavy equipment for demobilization. All personnel will be demobilized from site until disposal activities resume.

##### B. Next Steps

- Site-specific IAG was approved by the USCG and is being processed by U.S. EPA Region 5 in Chicago.
- Begin disposal operations (approximately 35,000 tons of solidified waste).

##### C. Key Issues

- U.S. EPA awaiting disposal fee exemption notice by Ohio EPA and Local Waste Management Districts for solidified sludge disposal.

#### V. COST INFORMATION

ERRS	\$629,484	(12/28/99)
EPA/USGC	\$ 23,667	(12/30/99)
START	<u>\$ 32,615</u>	(12/30/99)
TOTAL	\$685,766	

#### VI. DISPOSITION OF WASTES

Transportation and disposal operations were suspended until the site-specific IAG is finalized and additional funding is allocated to the site.